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TRAIL IS GOING STRONG

Every hockey enthusiast in this district is following with keenest interest the progress being made by the Trail Smoke Eaters in quest of the Allan Cup, and hoping that they will be successful in bringing back that much coveted trophy.

In the interprovincial play-offs, they were successful in eliminating Blairstown for Alberta by a six-to-two score (3-1 each game), and Saskatoon for Saskatchewan by a similar score. In the opener with the Manitoba Thunder Bay winners, played at Port Arthur last night, they defeated Port Arthur to a similar tune, and it is confidently felt that they can go even further and ultimately land the Dominion championship.

The second game with Port Arthur will take place tomorrow night.

"THE DESERT SONG," GLORIOUS SCREEN VERSION OF OPERA

John Boles, who portrays the masterful glorious singing role of "The Red Shadow," has won the highest critical praise for his work.

One of the most effecting scenes in "The Desert Song," Warner Brothers' Vitaphone operetta, coming to the Orpheum theatre on March 27, 28 and 29, is the leave-taking between the mysterious Red Shadow and his band of Riff followers, by whom he has been condemned to banishment into the desert, with neither food nor water, and no arms except his own broken sword. There is a great bond of affection between the leader and his men, but he has refused to meet the French General Biraebau in single combat—knowing him to be his father—and the law of the tribe is inexorable.

The story of "The Desert Song" is full of heart thrills; many of which are based on the love of Red Shadow for Margot, the French girl who is strangely attracted by the masked bandit chieftain, but has no eyes for his other self, Pierre Biraebau.

John Boles and Carlotta King are seen as the Red Shadow and Margot, respectively, and other important members of the all-star cast are Louise Fazenda, Myrna Loy, John Miljan, Johnny Arthur, Marie Wells, Jack Pratt, Edward Martindel, Robert E. Guzman and Otto Hoffman. The production was filmed under the direction of Roy Del Ruth, and the screen adaptation of the operetta was made by Harvey H. Gates.

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INQUEST CONCLUDED

The adjourned inquest into the case of death of Frank Czek was held at the court house yesterday, before Dr. J. Oliver as coroner. Present were: Moses Johnson, representing the mines department; L. P. Robert, representing the West Canadian Collieries, Limited, and Evan Morgan, representing the employees.

The following witnesses were examined: Dr. Stewart, Frank Bombarier (a fellow worker, who barely escaped w/ his life), Robert Oakes, John Madison, Camille Canet, Emil Blas, J. Whitehead and Moses Johnson.

The following verdict was returned:

"We, the undersigned, have come to the conclusion that Frank Czek, on or about the 17th of February, 1920, came to his death by being crushed by a cave-in of rock and coal on 11½ pillar in No. 3 level of the West Canadian Collieries' Greenhill mine at Blairmore, Alberta."

"We find no evidence to show carelessness or negligence on the part of any person or persons whomsoever."

Signed: Wilfred Goddard (foreman), John A. Kerr, J. S. Whyte, L. Comfort, L. Dunkley, P. McPherson.

WELSH IMPERIAL SINGERS ENTERTAIN RECORD HOUSE

A house that crowded all seating space to capacity greeted the Welsh Imperial Singers at the opera house here last night. The programme throughout was of an excellent character, demonstrating remarkable talent, and every item demanded an encore. At the conclusion of the programme, Mr. R. Festyn-Davies, conductor, expressed appreciation of the splendid reception accorded them, and promised, if at all possible, to include Blairmore in the itinerary of the return tour from the Pacific coast.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Dr. Frederick A. Cook, physician-explorer, has been freed from the Federal Penitentiary, Leavenworth, Kansas, on parole.

Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd and members of his Antarctic expedition, sailed at New Zealand aboard the barque "City of New York" after spending more than a year on the ice barrier of Ross Sea.

There are 22 people in Canada afflicted with the horrible disease of leprosy. Eleven of them are in Tradeade, N.B., and 11 are on Bentick Island, near Victoria. All are wards of the Canadian Government.

Government of Manitoba will ask representation on the Lake of the Woods control board, as soon as the natural resources transfer is completed, according to Premier John Bracken, Ontario and the Dominion are now represented on the board.

Lifting by the Canadian Government of the embargo on English and Scottish cattle, announced in Ottawa, was much welcomed in London, England, the decision enabling the execution of long standing orders for these cattle.

Passenger service will not be augmented over the Western Air Mail route for at least a month, according to W. L. Brinnell, operating manager of Western Canada Airways. The W.C.A. organization holds the prairie air mail "contract."

Canada looks forward to the development of fleet transports to the growth of seaborne trade in the Dominion, declared Commander Richard L. Edwards, R.N., director of naval intelligence, Department of National Defence, Ottawa, in an address at Montreal.

The total cost of government works, including air force reinforcements, construction of harbour facilities and building of the railway in connection with Hudson Bay to date amounts to \$41,878,224.89, according to a return tabled in the House of Commons.

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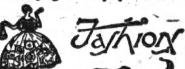
Requires More Advertising English Potato Growers Decide To Launch Publicity Campaign

As the result of a consultation with the Ministry of Agriculture, English potato growers have decided to launch a publicity campaign to popularize their products.

We are to be urged to "Eat more potato" just as we have been implored to eat greater quantities of fruit and to stay oneself with flagons of milk. And why not? The potato is an admirable article of food and its largely increased consumption would be of immense benefit to British agriculture.

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Winnipeg Newspaper Union



By Annabelle Worthington



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It is a garment of weight with novel crystal buttons at center-front and falls softly over shoulders with flying ends at back.

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It is a model that is easily adjusted to any size and the skirt is 36 in. in two sections. It is seam at sides and joined to the two-piece bodice. The dress is now ready-to-wear, sleeveless with armholes, stitch collar at neckline and girdle at waistline.

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Jim: "But s'pose she do?"
Bill: "Why, den, we'll beat it."

Dentist: "Where is the aching tooth located?"
Grl: (a theatre usher) — "Balcony, first row to the right."

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MARCH 23

JEESUS TEACHING AND HEALING

Devotional Reading: Psalm 119:3-40.

Explanations and Comments

Faith Tested and Triumphant, 15. 21-28. To escape the hostility of the priests and of Herod and his disciples, Jesus left Galilee and went northward into the neighborhood of Tyre and Sidon. And there he met a Canaanite woman whose daughter was possessed by a demon.

Lesson: Matthew 15:23 to 16:12.
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CHAPTER V.—Continued

Jim, who had colored at the question, suddenly laughed and answered: "It doesn't wear well. You get tired of it after a while."

Grandma chuckled.

"You're going to take it to the straw-berry festival this evening?"

Suddenly suspecting that he was being puffed, Jim replied with caution: "Maybe I will. I hadn't thought of it till now; but it would be a pity to leave the poor thing to go alone."

"She'd like your calling her a poor thing," said Grandma.

"I was talking about the hat," grinned Jim. "Honestly, Grandma, that hat has made more commotion in Wickfield than Lindbergh made when he landed in Paris. I'm sick of the sight of it."

"Well," commented the old lady, "you've come to your senses quicker'n I expected. Does your mother know it?"

Jim's face clouded strangely.

"Mother's—cray about her," he admitted in a burst of confidence. "She says she makes the Wickfield girls look provincial. I guess Clara told her they looked that way. She'd never have thought of it herself. Now that's about all I hear—and everybody in it. Look here, Grandma, don't you tell any one I said that. It's only

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because Mother's got the idea that I'm a sort of Prince of Wales, that she talks that way. She says the best is none too good for me," added, flushing hotly.

"And I'm not sure she isn't right, Jim," said Grandma, reaching out a wrinkled hand to touch his own.

"To tell the good truth, I don't know if you can live your life for you just the same. You tell her that, next time she says that home folks aren't good enough for any one. What do you think of the new doctor?"

"I don't think anything at all," Jim replied with irritation, and arose.

"Oh!" said Grandma, enlightened. "Well, he's all right, Jim, he keeps his word for it. He keeps his room neat as any woman; and he doesn't eat us out of house and home if a man is."

"I don't see why in thunder you took him in, though. Charman's got enough to do without getting charms for a perfect stranger."

His voice was gruff, and, as he looked from the window his shoulders held the same rigid position that Charman had noticed earlier, while which told Grandma, as it told the girl, that he was inwardly disturbed. "Look here," said the old lady quietly, "you're getting all riled up. We took him in to help the doctor—Doctor Howe, I mean. There wasn't another place where the young man could board."

"What's the matter with Emmy Bascomb's?" Emmy's glad enough to get a boarder when she can find one."

"Too far from town," said Grandma.

"And besides, I guess maybe the doctor thought the extra money would come in handy for us. This is a big house to keep repaired; though don't you go repeating that at home or anywhere else," she added with a sudden touch of pride. "We Davies don't air our troubles."

"If the house is a trouble, why not sell it?" Jim suggested, seeing himself again. "I bet you could get a big price from some city folks who want a summer home."

"Jimmy," said Grandma, her old eyes watching him narrowly, "when you say things like that, I can understand pretty well why Charman has turned up with you. You took up with that Char Darling. That house was built by my husband's grandfather. Charman would no more sell than she'd cut off her hair, like that Darling girl did the day she went to Portland."

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Grandma nodded. She was still nodding when the mail carrier drew up before the door.

CHAPTER VI.

It was late afternoon and Charman's shortcake, a triumph of culinary art, was ready to be carried to the church. Though it was time to dress, the girl threw herself down on the four-poster bedstead in her big bedroom, and closed her eyes. Like all people who enjoy life intensely, Charman had her moments of depression. Sometimes they came unexpectedly, as had this one. There was no real reason, she thought, opening her eyes and gazing at a long crack in the ceiling, why she should feel this way unless she had got too tired cleaning the doctor's office. She realized now that she'd been foolish to do so much when she had the shortcake to make and was going out to supper. Few and far between were the social events in Wickfield. Charman sighed, and again she was not to go this time.

A shaft of sunlight streamed in at the window, seeming to accentuate the shabby paint and wall paper, and this reminder of how many repairs the old house needed added to her disquiet.

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Twenty minutes later when Charman Carter was entertaining Grandma.

Seems to you we've been an awful long time getting dressed?" commented the old lady. "Come nearer so I can see you. I always did like that organdy, dearie. The color's lovely; and it's got an air to it. Don't you think so, Doctor?"

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Hard times come both yield to hard work and are entirely safe to health and certain and satisfactory in its action.

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"I wonder how I'd look with a bobbed," she pondered, the thought bringing a smile of amusement to her lips. "Grandma would have a fit, but there are days when I'm tempted to see what it would do to me. Provincial! Would Mrs. Bennett change her verdict if I appeared with shore locks? Poor Grandma! That riled her rightfully. Jim ought to have known better than to tell her; but he was terribly well informed, you know. I used to paddle and enjoyed using Oceans as a safety valve. Well, I must hurry. I promised Mrs. Merry I'd set her man descended to the shop, she found that as she lifted her brush."

"Of course, it saves money, and it does the work more efficiently than the human could possibly do. But there will always be the experienced helmsman available, ready to step in when a ship changes when the vessel nears port. Iron Mike can hold a course on a long trip—but someone has to do his thinking for him."

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WHAT PRICE SOULS

Magistrates of this province are at their wits' end to arrange for the wisest disposal of young boys who come before them. With all the money that is raised in Alberta for the general social betterment, no provision is made for dealing with erring youth. A young lad of fourteen years of age, whose mother died some years ago, and whose father is worthless and has disappeared, is arraigned for theft for the third time. What can the magistrates do with him? Nobody cares.

Another case is that of a fifteen year old boy who has come up repeatedly for theft. The magistrate must sentence him to jail apparently has no choice but to send him to the penitentiary for a term of years. This almost inevitably is a sentence of death to his future citizenship.

It would appear that human souls are a cheap commodity in this as in many other countries. Money is spent for beauty commissions, what more beautiful than a human being salvaged to usefulness. Money is spent on roads, on livestock, education, health. But there is no stockade provision for the homeless, erring youth, whereby he may be taught useful occupation and healthful living and emerge a real asset to the country.

Why should not some of the mounting liquor revenue be diverted to such a purpose. It would be most suitable—EX.

A BELIEVER IN CO-OPERATION

The following is an excerpt from an address recently delivered by Premier Brownlee to a convention of the U.F.A.

"We have to remember that we are travelling a road that has its winding curves, and that we go down through the valleys and up over the hills. We take strength because of

what has been accomplished in the past, and we look to the future with courage and with hope just in proportion as we have the spirit to travel that road. I am one that believes in organization, if that organization is based on co-operation and understanding. We are in a position to face those hills, those difficulties, just in proportion as men can stand with women, not only in the same position, but in different industries; just in that proportion can we make the rapid progress that we can hope to make as citizens of this country. I have long ago come to this very profound conviction, that while leadership is necessary and while it is desirable that those in positions of trust, whether in governments or organizations, should be blessed with certain powers of constructive imagination, progress is rapid or progress is slow, depending upon the loyalty and enthusiasm of various forms of organization that we find. Organized effort can be more efficient than unorganized effort."

The above might well apply to practically any organization.

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GREAT ALBERTA MYSTERY

New York critics hailed the stage play, "On Trial," as being realistic as an actual trial—a brilliant condensation of the most dramatic elements of a score of famous murder trials—when it began its forty-six-week run on Broadway.

Because for the first time it introduced the "flash-back," previously used only by the movies, it was particularly suitable for picture adaptation, and Warner Bros. have made it into a sensational special with an all-star cast which no Broadway play could possibly equal.

The cast, which is headed by Pauline Frederick, Bert Lytell and Lois Wilson, includes Holmes Herbert, Edward Martindel, Johnny Arthur, Edmund Puryear, Richard Tucker, Fred Kelsey and Vonetta Duran.

The play opens in court on the firs

day of a murder trial. The accused friend and debtor of the victim, has confessed to the crime. The testimony of the widow of the slain man's private secretary, of the prisoner's little daughter, of his wife and of the doctor who examined the dead man, gradually unfolds the romantic story of love, hate, trust, deceit, strength,

weakness and honor. Not until the final gripping moment is the solution clear.

"On Trial" comes to the Orpheum Thursday, Friday, and Saturday of this week.

WELL DONE, BLAIRMORE!

The Blairmore Bearcats, to give them the appellation the fans love, won the hockey championship of Alberta. They started out in quest of the Allan cup, which is the emblem of the amateur hockey championship of the Dominion, but they lost to a sister mining town in British Columbia, where the Trail team—the Smoke Eaters—defeated them on the round

Now, while the Bearcats didn't win over the Smoke Eaters, and thus enter the next round of the elimination, we are all very proud of the Blairmore boys here in Southern Alberta. For the boys of the Blairmore hockey squad are practically all home brawns, youngsters who learned to play their hockey at home. They have shown themselves adepts a Canada's national winter pastime.

They are all boys who work in and about the mines at Blairmore and have their homes there; they are part of the community, and by their playing they have furnished their home town with splendid sport.

The Crows' Nest Pass Hockey League, of which the Blairmore team won the championship this season, is one of the best sport organizations in the province. Organized after the war by R. J. Dinning, now liquor commissioner, the league has fostered the winter sport always with an eye to developing the youngsters and thus furnishing a warm local interest in the players. While it has not won every provincial championship since its organization, it has won a "Lion's share," and Blairmore has led in the winnings. So the people of Blairmore are naturally proud of their champions, as are the sister towns in the league, and the people of South Alberta generally.—Lethbridge Herald.

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AND WHY SLAM AGNES?

Miss Agnes McPhail has again had her spotlight. The House enjoyed her declaration that the removal of her small daughter from the care of her doctor who examined the dead man, gradually unfolds the romantic story of love, hate, trust, deceit, strength,

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UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE

No stronger evidence of the failure of our social system exists than the present alleged need for unemployment insurance. That something of the kind seems necessary is obvious to those, and only those, who persistently ignore the cause of the unemployment they deplore. When the only necessary factors in the production of wealth are land and labor, and with almost half a continent inhabited by less than ten million people, many of whom are unable to employ themselves, it is evident there must be something wrong with the relationship of the land to labor. Our orthodox economists and our legislatures all refuse to look the facts in the face and see that it is only our bad legislation that is responsible for the present situation, yet these facts have been brought to their attention again and again.

The employment of labor is deliberately penalized by all our legislative bodies. The Dominion Government, the provincial legislatures and our municipal councils all act as though employment of labor, or the production of labor by any useful thing, or the doing of any useful act, were a crime, to be punished instead of being worthy of encouragement. Let a man engage in any occupation whatever and he will be subject to a fine. Calling it a tax does not in any way change it from operating like any other fine. If you want to get rid of dogs you tax them the higher the tax the fewer the dogs. If you want to discourage men from getting drunk you fine them for doing so. Yet, this is exactly what our legislatures do to anyone who employs labor. If a man erects a house the municipal tax amounts to from three to six months of the rent and in many cases is equal to a mortgage of 50 per cent of the value at the current rate of interest. If a man operates a brick yard he must pay a tax. If he makes doors or sashes for buildings he is taxed. If a building, after it is erected, is used for manufacturing or any other purpose involving the employment of labor, the original tax on the building is increased by from 20 to 75 per cent.

If a man brings useful articles into the country, the government levies a tax of from 25 to 50 per cent of the value. The whole trend of our tax laws, in effect, says: "Trade and the employment of labor are detrimental to the well-being of the country and must be prevented at all costs. But when we come to deal with land which is the common heritage of the race and which, in theory at least, belongs to the people of the country who inhabit it, we find that a different treatment is accorded to it."

Remember, land is the first essential element in the employment of labor. All things are produced from it by human labor and without it men cannot labor. It is an essential factor in production and yet, instead of our laws being devised to make it equally free to all who would use it for the common good, we allow it to be monopolized and kept idle by its "owners"—in fact, they are encouraged to keep it idle, for the moment the owners seek to make use of it productively by employing labor upon it the tax on it is increased to such an extent that in many cases it is unprofitable to use it, and so it remains idle and forces unemployment on others.

If the government was really serious in its efforts to prevent unemployment and would readjust our system of taxation to penalize men for keeping land idle, and to encourage them in employing labor upon it, not only would the need for unemployment insurance disappear, but, along with it, all danger of bad times.

Canada then could and would welcome to her shore all willing to work, for every addition to our population under these conditions would be of benefit to all in the country.—The Square Deal, Toronto.

Bill says that some people are expert they can put your back and harpoon you at the same time.

MOVE MONUMENT AT
SUMMIT OF ROCKIES

The monument at the summit of the Kicking Horse Pass, marking the Great Divide of the Rockies, familiar to all travellers by the main line of the Canadian Pacific railway, has recently been taken down by the company and re-erected upon a new site several feet farther west. From early surveys it was believed that the previous site marked the actual height of land but during the detailed survey of the boundary between Alberta and British Columbia, carried out by the Interprovincial Boundary Commission, more accurate data were obtained which necessitated a number of changes in the delimitation of the watershed. Among these was the summit of the Kicking Horse Pass.

The spot is of great interest to transcontinental travellers and for many years the C.P.R. has arranged that all through trains should stop here for a few minutes to allow passengers to alight and take photographs. The new Kicking Horse highway from Lake Louise to Field, which links the Banff and Yoho national parks, also passes within a short distance of this point, although at a higher level, and the observation point of the highway, looking across to the Great Divide and down the Bow valley to the east, gives one of the finest views along the eastern section of this road.

The National Parks Branch of the Department of the Interior proposes to lay out a small landscape development adjacent to both highway and monument and to restore the natural character of the tiny stream which here divides, one branch taking its way to the waters of the Pacific ocean and the other to the Atlantic.

WHEN IS A MAN OLD

When a man ceases to grow, no matter what his years, that minute he begins to be old.

Many men are old fogies at 25. They are satisfied with their jobs, have accumulated a little stock of prejudices that they call principles and have closed their minds to all new ideas.

But as long as a man can keep himself strong, still knowing that he has a lot to learn, he is young.

Laplace, the astronomer at 78, died while at work saying "What we know is nothing, what we do not know is immense."

Goethe died at 83, after completing his Faust. Gladstone was studying new languages at 70; Bismarck did his greatest work after seventy; Titian the painter lived to be 99, painting right up to his death.

According to the life span of other mammals, man's period of life should be five times his period of growth. A dog gets his growth in two years and lives ten; a horse in five years and lives 25. On this basis man should live to be 100. But in Shakespeare's time a man was old at 40. Sir Walter Scott complained at 55 of being an old man. Montague retired at 38 to spend his declining years in peace and Dr. Samuel Johnson once said that at 35 man reached his peak and was thereafter on the down grade.

The art of keeping young seems to lie with the individual himself. The constant seeker may die, but he never grows old.

Regardless of what happens in the inter-provincial play-offs for the Allan Cup, between the Blairmore Bears and the Trail Smoke Eaters, new Alberta champions have certainly had a highly successful season, and Blairmore citizens should be doubly proud of their hockeyists in that they are all home-brews.—Drumheller Mail.

All owners of radio receiving sets are reminded that their licenses expire on March 31. Licenses for the fiscal year commencing with April 1st are now available at the local R.C.M. Police barracks. Every radio owner, who does not possess a license, is liable to a maximum penalty of \$50.

A SPRING SONG

The "winter of our discontent" (as old Bill Shakespeare once said) is over and we now welcome another spring—changeable and provoking though it so often proves. It can well be dubbed the season of contrasts. It is the time of bubbling youth, joy and mating happiness. It is also associated with coughs and chills, sulphur and molasses, fertilizer, seed catalogues and "suckers running in the creeks." The air is filled with the sweet and cleanly smell of leaves and green grass, of blossoms and all sorts of growing things; also with the demand of our wives and daughters for new raiment. The sienna-hued organ-grinder with his hurdy-gurdy is seen on the streets, and the rumble of the ice-wagon has supplanted the creak of the coal cart. The railway navvies have burned the dead grass along the railway tracks 'tween the country, and the town dweller has spaded up his back-yard garden. It is the time of fond hopes, of beautiful dreams and love. It also rains like hell at times. The wild strawberry will soon be ripening on the warm hillsides and the white hawthorn spreading its sweet fragrance in "the fields beyond." Down in the swamps Mr. and Mrs. Mosquito, just newly married, have commenced an intensive production campaign and millions of their dirty pesky little rats will soon be tormenting the ives and legs of those who "dwell near nature's heart." It is a season of strong extremes of hot days and chilly nights—of bright sunshine and spring showers—of early snowdrifts and occasional snowstorms—or the lilting liquid melodies of the song birds and the ribald raucous cries of the crows and grackles. It is about the meanest, dirtiest and most uncertain time of the year, but, darn its pesky hide—we like it because of its promise for more glorious days to come.—Ex.

Half the world wonders how the other half pays its amusement bills.

A Scot had been sentenced to a term of imprisonment, and on his first day a burly warden arrived with a brush and a large bucket of water.

"That's to wash your cell," he said briefly and departed.

A few minutes later, hearing strange sounds, the warden returned to find the Scot robed in Nature's garb, standing in the bucket, and shivering dolefully as he scrubbed himself with the brush.

"Ere, wot are you doing o'?" gasped the guardian.

"Well," chattered Mac, "didn't you tell me wash ma'sel?"

Rev. Mr. Gunn will give an illustrated lecture in the interest of the Red Cross society at the United church tomorrow (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock. There will be no admission fee and everybody that is interested in Red Cross work are cordially invited to be present.

Telephoning in Russia

"Hello, is this you Dvirsthigoren-

silvestrezn?"

"No, it's Voldignikisnianvjkjliki.

Who is this speaking?"

"Gransikivitckanzksifgli. I want

to know if Tschawskivkingstki is stay-

ing with you?"—Selected.

Blackbird Flies

Two colored gentlemen who had just reduced the population of a farmer's henroost were making a get-away.

"Laws, Mose," gasped Sam, "why you s'posse them flies follow us so close?"

"Keep gallopin', nigger," said Mose,

"them aint flies, them's buckshot."

Unusually heavy pre-Lenten weddings were indicated this month from the Windsor street station. Monday and Tuesday 25 bachelors and maidens left the city for Ottawa, Quebec and New York on one morning. Station officials say that it's very heavy for the number of passengers, and twice the number leaving the station on mornings of Cupid's special month of June.

Different Now

He was to be married and went to his tailor to be measured for the wedding outfit. When the agony was over the tailor coughed apologetically.

"I am sorry, Mr. Smith, but I must ask you to pay cash for these suits!"

"What?" I've had an account with you for fourteen years and I've always settled half-yearly."

"I know," said the tailor, "but up to now you've always had the handling of your own money."

Endeavoring to judge the strength of various hockey teams in Alberta this season, on exhibition and play-off games, proves to be something of a problem. At least, results in games played would indicate that. However, the Blairmore gang were outstanding.—Drumheller Mail.

He Was Unfortunate

"Talking again!" said the master; eying his class sternly. "You two boys at the back will write your names one hundred and fifty times."

Presently one boy joyously handed in his sheets, while the other began to weep.

"Why, what's the matter, haven't you finished yet?" asked the master.

"Please, sir, it isn't fair," said the small boy, "His name is John Dodd, and mine is Marmaduke Christopher Hatchellwhite."

Four Scotchmen had dinner in a restaurant. When it came to paying, they disagreed. Finally, they decided that the waiter should be blindfolded and that the first one he touched should foot the bill. They are still at large.

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LABOR PARTY IS SUSTAINED ON CENSURE VOTE

London, England.—The MacDonald Labor Government was sustained in the House of Commons in face of a vote of censure on the Government's tariff policy moved by the Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Conservative and opposition leader. The government was given a new lease of office, but the feeling is still general that the reverse of the Coal Mines Bill was the prevailing on the wall. The vote was 362 to 255.

The Liberals had announced they would support the government; Sir Herbert Samuel complimented Mr. Snowden, the chancellor of the exchequer, on his fiscal policy, and Mr. Baldwin was reconciled, in advance to the result.

"The government will win to-night," he said, "but rain washed away the corn laws and so will unemployment wash away this government."

Had the Conservatives changed the wording of their motion the issue might have been in doubt. As it was the Liberals were also bound to vote with the administration when the safeguarding and McKenna duties and the government's supposed coldness to them were made the gauge of battle.

The Rt. Hon. Philip Snowden blamed the opposition directly in the matter of unemployment. Their gloomy propaganda, he charged, had done more to aggravate conditions.

Mr. Baldwin swept upon the Empire with the strength of the Empire itself. It was by tariffs only that economic progress could be attained, he said. "I am unable," declared Mr. Baldwin, "to see any other way. Certain of the Dominions are going to industrialize themselves as soon as possible. Canada will do it probably faster than the others, and she will soon be one of the greatest countries of the world."

The general opinion of economists, said Mr. Churchill, was not in favor of sweeping away these duties but favored sensible additions to their number and the regularizing and systemizing of their character.

All these duties had, in the first place, been valuable and brilliant experiments, but the time had come when they must be given up in this direction by an ever-growing mass of opinion far outside of party bounds. They did not wish these matters to be treated as party questions or "as stunts to be managed by newspapers."

The Rt. Hon. Wedgwood Benn wound up the debate. The secretary of state for India, twitted Mr. Churchill with having abandoned his early free-trade faith.

Mr. Benn emphasized there were millions of unemployed in protectionist countries. He ridiculed the idea of binding the Empire together by taxes on foreign foodstuffs.

A number of Conservatives left the House before the end of the Benn speech amid the ironical cheers of the Labor members.

Rt. Hon. Philip Snowden, chancellor of the exchequer, who acted in behalf of Premier MacDonald, in reply to Mr. Baldwin's criticism said:

"It is a fact that ever since this government came into office there has been an organized conspiracy. It has been the deliberate policy of certain interests to prevent employment in order to discredit the government."

Coarse Grain Pools

Initial Payments On Remaining Deliveries Have Been Cut Down
Winnipeg, Man.—Initial payments by the Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba Wheat Pools on remaining deliveries of coarse grains to country elevators have been cut down, the Pools have announced. The reductions amount to 35 cents per bushel for rye and ten cents per bushel for barley and oats.

Reductions are as follows, the Pool stated, based for Fort William: Rye, No. 2, C.W., reduced from 90¢ to 45¢. Barley, No. 2, C.W., reduced from 50¢ to 40¢. Oats, No. 2, C.W., reduced from 50¢ to 40¢. Instructions were wired to agents of the Pool last night, following decision at a board session recently.

At the close of the market recently, prices on Winnipeg exchanges were as follows: Oats, No. 2, C.W., 53¢; Rye, No. 2, C.W., 54¢; Barley, No. 3, C.W., 46¢.

British Army Estimates Cut
London, Eng.—British army estimates for 1930 total £40,000,000, a decrease of £605,000. The total men on establishment, exclusive of India, is 148,000 as compared with 150,500 in 1929.

First Application Received

Request Made For Exhibit Space At World's Grain Show

Regina.—First application for commercial space at the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference, Regina, July 25 to August 6, 1932, was received at the headquarters here, March 12.

The application follows closely the start made in the distribution of a number of small booklets by the office in which the arrangement is made: "The Executive Committee has set aside a limited amount of space for the staging of commercial exhibits of interest to those engaged in the production and marketing of field crops."

Children Die In Fire

Found In Ruins Of Home By Manitoba Homesteaders

Newdale, Man.—While their parents were away in the bush cutting wood, the two infant children of Mr. and Mrs. William Hutyn, homesteaders, were burned to death when fire destroyed their little dwelling.

The charred remains of the children—the youngest six months and the oldest two years old—were discovered among the smouldering ruins of the home when the parents returned from the woods.

COL. BARKER, V.C. LOSES HIS LIFE IN AIRPLANE CRASH

Ottawa, Ont.—A national hero, whose fame in the air was known throughout the world during the Great War, is dead. Lieut.-Col. William George Barker, V.C., D.S.O., M.C., one of Canada's greatest wartime pilots, was killed when a new commercial biplane he had taken "up for a flip" crashed to earth.

Scarcely 10 minutes after he took off from the Rockliffe aerodrome in the two-seater, a Fairchild plane, brought here for inspection by government officials of the Department of National Defence, civil aviation branch, the body of the gallant birdman lay in the shore slush of the Ottawa River, almost every bone shattered. The plane was a tangled wreckage.

An official board of inquiry, composed of three members of the civil aviation branch, has been set up to investigate the accident and attempt to determine its cause. To some among the many persons who were witnessing from the ground the colonel's last flight, it appeared the engine stalled as he pulled the machine into a steep climb.

Colonel Barker was flying at an altitude of 200 feet when the engine gave off a tremendous roar as the pilot pulled the throttle wide open and swooped upward.

After a climb to 150 feet, the plane faltered, hung suspended momentarily and then like a wounded bird plunged straight to earth.

Life was extinct when horror-stricken eye witnesses reached the wreckage. The man who came through scores and scores of hectic war combats with his life, although twice wounded, had apparently been killed instantly.

While Col. Barker was president of the Fairchild Aviation Corporation of Canada, manufacturers of the plane in which he met death, he was not putting the glistening new machine through its test paces when the tragedy occurred.

D. Campbell Shaw, Fairchild test pilot, was here for the demonstration. He said that while Col. Barker had been flying recently, he did not wish him to go up. One of the colonel's arms was almost useless owing to his war injuries.

The man was in perfect shape and the controls responded readily said Shaw, who flew the plane here on a visit. Previously Capt. Shaw had flown the plane from New York City to Montreal and a half hour before the Fairchild Corporation president took the two-seater aloft, Capt. Shaw had put it through the paces of varied aerobatics.

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Briand Takes Gloomy View

Head Of French Naval Delegation Looks For Early Breakup Of Conference

London, England.—Aristide Briand, head of the French naval delegation, maintains that the five-power conference will not last more than another fortnight.

The French view is that a five-power treaty will result but cover only technical questions amounting to a preliminary convention on which could be based a later League of Nations gathering to consider disarmament on land, sea and air.

Briand was frankly gloomy.

"I have finished my role," he said. "And tomorrow the whole thing will be handed over to the delegations."

Meanwhile, in spite of official optimism the decisive point of the conference has now been reached and it centres almost entirely round France's insistence that her figures cannot be seriously reduced. In this connection, Mr. MacDonald has great faith in Mr. Briand's power to effect a compromise which will allow reductions; but Mr. Briand, it is recognized, will not dare to do anything likely to be rejected by the French chambers.

While Mr. MacDonald does not want to see the isolation of France, even if she does persist in her present attitude, this will be the inevitable outcome unless greater progress is made towards finding a solution of the difficulties still to be overcome. Officials state that they are pleased with the progress so far made, but Labor members are telling the Prime Minister they are not.

Another Trip Planned For Graf Zeppelin

Commander Of Dirigible Outlines Coming Trip To America

Berlin.—The Graf Zeppelin, veteran of a flight around the world, will pay a 48-hour visit to the United States next May. Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander of the dirigible states in an interview.

Eckener outlined for the first time the complete itinerary of his forthcoming trip to the Americas, which will start probably between May 12 and 15.

Leaving Friedrichshafen, the Graf will make a 20-hour flight to Seville, Spain, and thence proceed directly across the south Atlantic to Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, in about 75 hours.

From Rio the dirigible will fly northward 20 hours to Pernambuco, Brazil, where a special landing mast will have been built and preparations made for refuelling.

After remaining at Pernambuco 24 hours, the Graf will make a three-day cruise via Jamaica, Haiti and Havana, Cuba, to Lakehurst, N.J., where it will stay two days.

From Lakehurst, a 50-hour flight will take the Zeppelin back to Seville, after which it will return to Friedrichshafen.

Detroit May Dismiss All Alien Teachers

Mrs. Lindbergh Would Be On If Bill Is Passed

Detroit, Mich.—Following the lead of the city council, which recently ordered about 1,700 aliens employed in various city departments discharged, the board of education is considering dismissing 786 teachers who are aliens or non-residents of Detroit.

Mrs. Evangelina Lodge Lindbergh, mother of Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, is one of those who would be discharged if the resolution before the board of education is passed.

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WHEAT POOL HEAD



A. J. McPhail, president of the Canadian Wheat Pool, recently returned from a wheat conference in England.

School Act Amendment

Display Of Religious Emblems Prohibited In Saskatchewan Schools

Regina.—Without amendment of any kind, the bill proposing to prohibit the display of any religious emblem or the wearing of a garb of any religious denomination by teachers in the public schools of the province, passed through the Saskatchewan Legislature, and now only awaits royal assent to become law. The measure, however, will not come into effect until July 1.

Practically no discussion took place when the bill was in committee of the whole. While there were a few interchanges across the floor of the House, very little debate took place while the bill was under consideration.

Seeking Tariff Changes

Liberal-Progressives Of Manitoba To Interview Minister Of Finance

Ottawa, Ont.—In view of the fact that the federal budget is expected to be brought down before the close of the month, the Liberal-Progressives of Manitoba have appointed a delegation to interview Hon. Charles A. Dunning, Minister of Finance, and recommend tariff reductions.

The Liberal Progressives have made a close study of the tariff as it affects the agricultural industry of Manitoba and have made specific recommendations for tariff reductions. It is believed that they will ask that the duties be cut on motor trucks, kitchen utensils, paints and varnishes and several other commodities.

DISCUSS THE COST OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTION

Investigation Of The Cost Of Producing Livestock In Canada

Toronto.—"If this stock brokerage muddle was cleaned up at once, Canada would develop more prosperity in mines and oil projects this summer than was witnessed during the height of the activity last summer."

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POOL HEAD TALKS ON WHEAT AND COAL SHIPMENTS

Regina.—Attitude taken by "coal people" in Canada forced abandonment of a British Government proposal which had intended wheat shipments from Canada to Britain. This light on the conversation between the Canadian Wheat Pool officials and Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, Lord Privy Seal and unofficial Minister of Employment in the British Government, was contained in an address by A. J. McPhail, president of the Canadian Wheat Pool.

"We were prepared to recommend, for the serious consideration of our board, a certain proposal made by Mr. Thomas, that I think would possibly have facilitated the desired developments," stated Mr. McPhail, in speaking to a meeting of the Regina Board of Trade. "However, due to the very strong attitude taken by coal people on this side of the water, the whole idea I think has been dropped for the time being at least."

Mr. McPhail offered no further details of the "certain proposal" presumably considering, as he has intimated heretofore, that reports of the conversations must come from British Government officials.

It is recalled, however, that it was reported, while the Pool men were in Britain, that suggestions had been made for shipments of British coal to Canada in tramp steamers, to be filled on their return trips with cargoes of Canadian wheat.

The old organized grain trade is "doomed" in Canada and elsewhere, in the opinion of Mr. McPhail.

To the people who would like to see the Pool collapse, stated Mr. McPhail, there can be no consolation in the present situation of down-pressed grain prices. "Such a thing did happen with the new five years," he said, "and consequences would be particularly disastrous to the old organized grain trade, because I have no doubt it would mean finally their complete elimination."

"I do not believe that even if the worst happened the farmers of this country will ever be content to return to the old system of marketing," commented the head of the organization which sells more than half of Canada's crop. He expressed gratification at the local stand of the Pool's 140,000 farmer members in the face of the present trying conditions on the grain market.

"There has been no gigantic battle, no titanic struggle taking place," said the pool head, referring to reports of economic combat between Europe and North America on a battleground of wheat. The real cause of the present situation, he said, was the very large 1928 crop in export countries; the large crop in Europe the same year; and the attitude of Argentine wheat handlers in dumping wheat on the market at any price.

"There is general recognition that agriculture everywhere is in a serious plight," Mr. McPhail said.

"Even in England, where agriculture probably plays a smaller part in the national life than in any other country, there is a general feeling, which I failed to find two and one-half years ago to the extent that it exists now, that if the country is to be restored to a proper position of reasonable prosperity, agriculture must be lifted out of the deplorable condition in which it is now floundering."

"I have ground for believing that we can come out of this situation reasonably well," he said. "But I believe that we must, as farmers, give very serious consideration to the future. Canadian farmers will do well to consider seriously their methods of production, and particularly their costs of production as well as the quality of their products. Quality is of supreme importance."

Installing Teletype At Flying Field

Instructions For Work At Moose Jaw Received From Ottawa

Moose Jaw, Sask.—Arrangements have been made for the installation of teletype equipment at the Moose Jaw flying field and work has commenced. D. C. Coons, superintendent of Canadian Pacific Railway Telegraphs, and D. McLean, Western Canada Airways, visited the flying field last week.

Instructions to install the teletype were received from Ottawa and the machine will be on the Saskatoon-Edmonton circuit and hooked up to the Canadian Pacific system.

The teletype is a self-recording telegraph machine, and weather reports and other matters of interest to pilots will be available at the hangar.

A birthday party was held at the home of Mrs. James Warner on St. Patrick's Day, when quite a number of friends gathered. The honors of the event were in charge of Mrs. J. White.

Mr. and Mrs. John Serra, of Bellevue, announce the marriage of their daughter Eda to Mr. Gordon Albert Key. The ceremony took place at the Blairmore United parsonage on Monday morning, March 17th, and was performed by Rev. J. W. Smith, B.D.

The fire that destroyed P. Ubertino's Gem theatre at Bassano caused loss far in excess of the amount at first reported. The building itself was valued at \$10,000 and carried only \$3,600 insurance. In addition, a new talking picture equipment, just installed, was destroyed, upon which no insurance was carried.

The St. Luke's Junior Guild will hold a Tea and Sale of Home Cooking, Candies, etc., in the Moose Hall on the afternoon of Saturday, March 29. Tea served from 3 to 6. [m20-27]

At the Pythian Grand Lodge session at Lethbridge last week, A. N. Warriner, of Hillcrest, was installed into the office of grand master of exchequer, while Jack Griffiths, of Coleman, was given the office of grand outer guard.

A local Scotchman recently paid a visit to Vancouver, and while there happened to hear of the egg pool. Upon inquiry he was told that there was such a thing as the egg pool and that many beautiful chickens were to be seen there at any time, so he headed straight for the pool office and offered to purchase a swimming ticket for ten cents.

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The R.C.M.P. barracks at Gateway, B. C., were destroyed by fire last week.

Mrs. Seeta Duncan, of Drumheller, is the new grand chief of the Pythian Sisters in Alberta.

Rev. Father Cosman, of Drumheller, was a visitor to Cowley and Blairmore on Sunday last.

Ordinarily, the busiest man you come across is the one who is trying to make a living without working for it.

Mrs. Leslie McKay, of Great Falls, Montana, U.S.A., spent a few days here with his father, Mr. D. R. McKay.

Jack Dempsey has decided to return to the ring, and a training camp is being established for him at San

senada, Mexico.

Some of our members of parliament attract about as much attention in parliament as would a fire cracker on a modern battlefield.

Primo de Rivera, ex-dictator of Spain, died suddenly in Paris on Sunday, aged sixty. General de Rivera bore the title of Marquis de Stella.

When the tired business man can retire to a farm and the tired farmer can retire to town, both believe they will be satisfied, but they won't.

The many local admirers of the plucky Blairmore Bears have followed with satisfaction their climb to the top of the provincial ladder.—High River Times.

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The value of newspaper advertising is no longer seriously questioned by any economist. A realization of this value, not only to the advertiser, but to the consumer, as well, is now almost universal.

Taxpayers of Drumheller school district will protest against the amount of taxes being levied on local residents for the education in Drumheller schools of children from out of town.

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The latest fish story: A few days ago, a Blairmore pet cat entered the house with a live trout, about six inches in length. When advised that the season was closed, the cat immediately returned the fish to the stream.

EASTER TEA AND SALE OF home cooking, fancy work, etc., under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of the Blairmore United church, will be held in the Moose Hall on Thursday, April 17th. Kiddies, don't forget the fish pond. [m13-a 10]

The Bellevue West Canadian Collieries' silver band, under the leadership of Mr. W. G. Goodwin, will render a sacred concert in the Orpheum theatre here on Sunday night next, commencing at 8:30. A silver collection will be taken towards defraying expenses.

Hundreds of people lined the fishing streams in south-eastern British Columbia on Saturday last, availing themselves of a real Spring day and of the desire of fish to bite at practically anything that hovered their way. Some excellent catches of grayling were secured, and at Michel, Natal and Fernie the size of the graypan could be heard in almost any direction.

The Earl of Balfour, one of England's greatest statesmen, died yesterday.

It is rumored that the provincial legislature will adjourn tomorrow, to meet again early in April.

Local of the A.F.A. at Nanton and other points in Alberta have decided to further try out the Trail fertilizer.

A common printer discovered electricity with two sticks and a silk handkerchief—probably having borrowed the latter.

The 1931 session of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias and the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters will be held in Calgary.

Yes, sir, Blairmore has a whole bunch of good Scotch folk—and the only thing we can get out of them in return for a real joke is a laugh.

A grand St. Patrick's entertainment was held in the auditoriums of St. Theresa's and St. Cyril's Catholic churches, was held in Cole's theatre at Hillcrest last night.

Lethbridge has turned down the light and power offer of the Calgary Power Co., and the city manager is preparing plans for an addition to the city power plant, to cost in the neighborhood of \$200,000.

Since Trail has been maintaining a a series of three-to-one in all games played since entering the interprovincial play-offs for the Allan Cup, a three-to-one bet that Trail will bring back the jewelry is warranted.

A well known resident of Natal was arrested on Saturday, to face the charge of having set fire to his home, which is said to have been heavily covered by insurance. He was admitted to bail of \$3000, pending trial.

Because the highway between Michel and Fernie was being very badly plowed up by heavy trucks, orders have been posted prohibiting heavy traffic over that section of the highway between Fernie and Crows' Nest until further notice.

With the possibility of teachers' pensions coming into effect soon, we are informed that some of the members of that profession in the Crows' Nest Pass, who for the past fifteen years have been trying to hang on to their twenty-year-old appearance, have started in to use grey dye for the hair.

In Canada there is a tax of \$7.60 per 1000 on all cigarettes. The Canadian smokers in 1929 consumed 3,927,022,325 cigarettes. The tax amounts to 15¢ a package of 20, therefore we paid out in tax alone, aside from the cost of the tobacco, the enormous sum of \$33,000,000, and the reformers don't howl about it.

The suggestion of a High River fan that the reorganization of a hockey or other sports club should take place immediately a season closes is one well worthy of consideration. To the average mind, it is the right action to take, for with the early reorganization, the new executive is given a greater opportunity to prepare for the next season. This might apply particularly to hockey. Then, again, while sport is ripe in the minds of all fans and before the excitement has waned, there is a possibility of attracting more people to a meeting.

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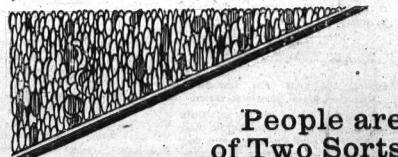
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